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 Examiner: Shamim Ahmed : Intellectual Property Law  
 Serial No.: 09/976,167 : Dept. 917, Bldg. 006-1  
 Filed: October 12, 2001 : 3605 Highway 52 North  
 Title: SELF-CLEANING COLLOIDAL : Rochester, MN 55901-7829  
 SLURRY COMPOSITION AND  
 PROCESS FOR FINISHING A  
 SURFACE OF A SUBSTRATE

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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

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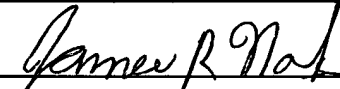
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